PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit, would you close debate on this matter please.

SENATOR SCHMIT: In response to Senator Murphy's concern, of course, we cannot levy a tax on those manufacturers outside the State of Nebraska, nor do we want our manufacturers to be subject to tax levied by other state legislatures. I think it works both ways. Unfortunately or fortunately I suppose we can only operate within the confines and the boundaries of the State of Nebraska. The amendment that I have offered here today attempts to outline more clearly the responsibilities. If you want to vote for the bill or against the bill that is something else that I would say that this amendment will make it a less burdensome bill and a more definite bill. I would urge your adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Keyes, Senator Schmit was closing sir. Yes.

SENATOR KEYES: I would have liked to have asked him a question.

PRESIDENT: Well why don't you lean over.

SENATOR KEYES: Well I thought the question might be answered to Senator ... the answer might affect Senator Murphy....

PRESIDENT: The question before us is the adoption of Senator Schmit's amendment. Record your vote. Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 mays on motion to adopt, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, I still have a series of motions.

PRESIDENT: Alright. Read the motions. Well, what have you got on your desk? How many amendments do you have?

CLERK: Three more, maybe four more. Four more.

PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit, I don't think we can get to a vote to move this today. Senator, it looks like we will not get to a vote to move it. Senator Nichol, for what purpose do you ask.... Alright, do you have a communication on your desk?

CLERK: Mr. President, a communication from the Executive Office under date of February 9th. (Read Governors communication found on page 437 of the Journal regarding LB 82, 35 and 116). That is all, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes the Speaker.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Mr. President, I move that we adjourn till 9 o'clock, Friday morning.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Contrary say nay. We are adjourned.

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